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SUB: NATO MIN DECEMBER 73- SECRETARY'S MEETING WITH

VAN ELSLANDE AND A POSSIBLE CALL ON THE KING

REF: BRUSSELS 6983, 6968 AND 6992

1. VAN ELSLANDE'S CHEF DE CABINET HAS BEEN INQUIRING ABOUT SECRETARY'S RESPONSE TO THE MINISTER'S PROPOSAL FOR A LUNCHEON ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 9 AT THE PALAIS D' EGMONT INSTEAD OF A CALL BY THE SECRETARY AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY. VAN ELSLANDE'S SECOND CHOICE IS STILL A CALL BY THE SECRETARY AT 11:00AM. IN EITHER CASE, THE MINISTRY WISHES TO KNOW NAMES OF OTHER OFFICIALS THE SECRETARY WOULD LIKE TO HAVE ACCOMPANY HIM.

2. CHIEF OF PROTOCOL HAD NOW TOLD US THAT KING BAUDOUIN WOULD BE PLEASED TO RECEIVE THE SECRETARY ON SUNDAY MORNING, AT 11:00AM OR, IF A MEETING WITH VAN ELSLANDE IS SET FOR THAT TIME AT 10:30.

3. I CONSIDER IT ESSENTIAL THAT CALL ON THE KING BE ARRANGED, GIVEN HIS INITIATIVE IN SEEKING A MEETING (WHICH WOULD NORMALLY NOT EXCEED THIRTY MINUTES).

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4. FINALLY, WOULD APPRECIATE RESPONSE TO PASS ALONG TO LUCIEN

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